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**TALKS BY THOSE WHO THINK**

NOT a European League of Nations but a declaration of the intention to have world peace from the great English-speaking powers, America and the British empire, can best insure its maintenance, the Rt. Hon. William Morris Hughes, M. P., privy councillor and former prime minister of Australia, declared recently in a New York address. The speech of STATESMAN the former prime minister was an eloquent plea for closer relations between the United States and Australia, "the vanguard of western civilization" in the Far East, "a white speck" of six millions of Anglo-Saxons set in a colored sea of one hundred millions of Asiatics, increasing at the rate of a million a year.

**The Way to World Peace**

Peace was just as essential to the preservation of a democracy of the kind nurtured in the United States and in Australia as for the preservation of western civilization, Mr. Hughes asserted, and he frankly questioned the effectiveness of the League of Nations—"without America, like a bird with but one wing"—as at present constituted, in the settlement of any dispute comparable to the great war. He suggested that the time was ripe for a more thorough understanding between America and the British commonwealth. England, he said, was now "entirely of America's way of thinking." Give the two dominant English-speaking powers this understanding and "the world will heed us."

Vigorously Mr. Hughes defended the enforcement of a "white Australia," the policy of Asiatic exclusion, and immigration, as having justified itself after one hundred years. To that policy he attributed the great progress of the Australian continent from a "primitive bush" with 20,000 people to a continent of 6,000,000, homogeneous and democratized in accordance with the principles of western civilization.

**Keeping Australia White**

"Nobody has got into Australia whom we have wanted to keep out," he said. "You have had protests regarding your immigration policy. We have had none. Your situation is somewhat different, but Australia and California saw to it that the League of Nations assembly did not go on record as favoring world racial equality."

"A hundred years ago Australia was untouched by industry," said Mr. Hughes. "Look at Australia today. The cities of Sydney and Melbourne may serve as examples of our progress. Australia has today 25,000 miles of railways; near a million people get their livelihood out of our manufactures. We were 20,000 people a hundred years ago, cut off from the world. Today, with her industries, irrigation projects, mines and per capita wealth second only to yours, there is no inferior class in Australia; we are all white and of the same strain, with one government and one language."

**WHO'S WHO IN THE NEWS**

THE Royal Geographical Society of Great Britain has awarded to John F. Hayford, director of the College of Engineering of Northwestern university, the Victorian medal, for notable achievement in establishing the theory of isostasy. The presentation is to be made in London in May, at the anniversary celebration of the society. The only other Americans so recognized were Commander Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, in 1910, and Alexander Hamilton Rice, noted geographer and explorer, in 1914.

**JOHN F. HAYFORD**

Isostasy attempts to demonstrate the existence of a force beneath the surface of the earth which tends to equalize pressure at all points.

"It adds much to strengthen evidence that the earth is solid throughout from surface to center, and that it is not a floating crust on a liquid interior," Director Hayford said, when asked to explain isostasy.

"It also throws light upon the nature of the movements which have folded and crumpled much of the rock formations of the earth. For instance, we have demonstrated that the distance between Harrisburg and Pittsburgh, Pa., is nearly ten miles shorter than it was before the folding and crumpling of the rocks took place."

In 1889 Hayford was appointed computer of the United States coast and geodetic survey. Later, in 1892, he became assistant astronomer to the international United States-Mexico boundary commission, in charge of one of the field parties.

He was instructor of civil engineering at Cornell university from 1895 to 1898, when he returned to the United States coast and geodetic survey, with which he was connected until he took up his present position as director of the College of Engineering at Northwestern university.

Hayford was born May 19, 1868, at Rouse's Point, N. Y. His present home is in Evanston, Ill.

**TWO VIEWS**

The famous physician and the eminent clergyman were deep in a discussion which threatened to become acrimonious.

"You see," said the minister sarcastically, "you medical men know so much about the uncertainties of this world that I should think you would not want to live."

"Oh, I don't know," responded the physician caustically. "You clergymen tell us so much about the uncertainties of the next world that we don't want to die."

**HOW'S YOUR HEALTH?**

By Dr. W. F. Thompson

He who works from sun to sun  
Finds, too late, the damage done.

How far the little scandal throws  
its beam.

Oh, do not pan the countryman who  
drinks polluted water.

Sickly baby,  
Bottle-fed;  
"Malnutrition,"  
Doctor said.

Two important documents: A birth  
certificate and a poll tax receipt.

Some folks live to a ripe old age,  
while others take calomel frequently.

From stable to table's  
The route of a fly,  
Ever infecting  
Our milk supply.

If your neighbor can't supply you  
with flies this summer, your garbage  
can.

Pour oil over that mosquito-breeding  
pool and watch the calming of the  
troubled water.

I've often heard the doctors say:  
"Who mixes well his work and play  
Will live more years and have more yen  
Than falls to the lot of other men."

It is understood that when an abortionist  
goes to hell the devil burns  
sulphur as a disinfectant.

Ceaseless working never pays;  
Woe to him who never plays.

A poor way to raise your boy is to  
sit in a game with him.

In medicine, keeping folks well is  
the better part of practice.

Again I say,  
It's restitution;  
The hookworm's born  
Of soil pollution.

The other day we saw a table showing  
the caloric value of the more com-

mon foods, which reminds us that the  
average table shows a very high  
caloric value.

A physical examination on the birth-  
day will insure more birthdays.

We've often wondered what all the  
patent medicine wrappers would do if  
placed end to end.

If you'll shoulder a shovel,  
A rake and a hoe,  
And work in your garden,  
The "taters" will grow.

The half filled pitcher in the guest  
room is a prolific source of malaria-  
bearing mosquitoes.

We wonder if the fellow who in-  
vented the balloon tire had anything  
to do with the soaring price.

There's just no use, this day and time,  
To lose our lives with cancer,  
For early cut is early cured—  
The surgeon's knife's the answer.

Take three cases of pneumonia: Na-  
ture, unassisted, will cure two of  
them.

The weary traveler climbs the hills,  
And on its crest he bows;  
A signboard spreads before his view—  
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too frequent, prevention has reduced  
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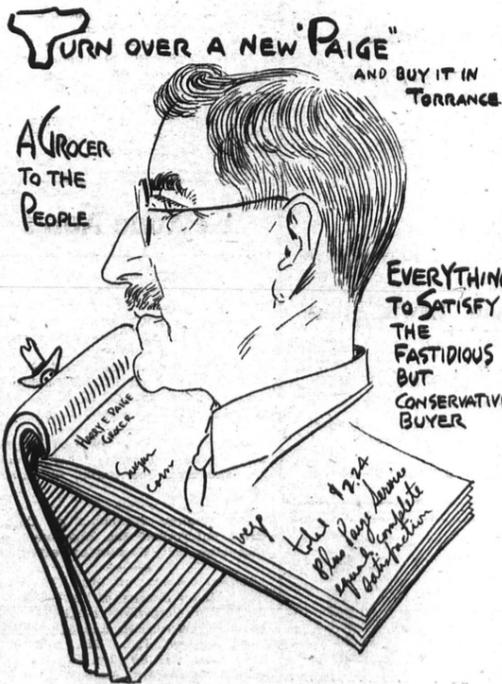
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By THE MYSTERIOUS COWBOY



I write of Paige's Quality Grocery and of the conscientious merchant who conducts that splendid system of merchandising, Harry E. Paige.

The subject of our present review has ever been an adherent of quality things. In stocking his handsome market he has made quality the keynote from the front door to the back of the store. He does not merely tell you that his counters contain the highest qualities, he proves it to you. Never does he deviate for a moment from the policy he has long since found to be the only wise one to follow. Quality always, no matter what the circumstances—that is about the tenor of his slogan.

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I have said that quality costs more than inferior things. That is ordinarily the fact. But Mr. Harry Paige, an old hand at merchandising and wise in the ways of buying, makes it possible for his patrons to get the very best of quality things and at the same time to pay no more than the price of articles of lesser worth. It is a pleasure to recommend this market, because I am completely sold to the idea that Mr. Paige lives up to his every representation. You may rely on that.

Harry Paige is a native of Boston. He has lived here for six years. He has been a grocer for twenty-three years, and says that "if there is anything better than he has in stock he will get it." A fair enough promise.

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